HISTORY OF THE ORGANIZATION.

It Was Called Into Existence a Little More Than a Year After the Great Struggle, and Has Done a Noble and Patriotic Work.

The annual mass-meeting of the Hollywood Memorial Association will be held in Lee Camp Hall next Monday night at 8 o'clock. The orator of the occasion will be Major Jed. Hotchkiss, of Staunton, who is well known as a public speaker. An attractive musical programme has been arranged for the even-

Oakwood Memorial Association, on May

existence almost simultaneously, and it was for some time advocated that the two organizations should be com-

the honor of organizing the Association. At the first meeting held in the Sunday-school room of St. Paul's church, Mrs. William H. McFarland was chosen president. A vice-president from each Christian denomination and one from the Hebrew were elected, and also a treasurer, secretary, and board of managers. The objects of the association were, as defined by its founders. "To collect funds to be applied in enclosing, atdead (about 8,000) interred in Hollywood Cemetery, and to fix on a day for a public commemoration of those who fell in batand whose remains lie in Holly-

Arlington and other places, and re-in-terred in Hollywood, and a considerable amount of money was raised by the asso-

Upon the reorganization of the body in 1886, it still retained its faithful president of many years, Mrs. Lewis Webb. It was strengthened by the accession of members who had been scarcely more than children at its inception, and older members renewed their interest.

It was found that the fund from the accessive subscriptions was inadequate to

work. Appeals were sent out for annual subscriptions. Among the replies received were: From North Carolina, \$45; feerina, \$45; South Carolina, \$45; Florida, \$96; a Texas veteran, \$20; from Norfolk, three annual contributions, amounting to \$75. The City Council in two years gave \$400, and the veteran organizations in the city, \$130. From these various sources, with annual subscriptions and proceeds of entertainments given during the five years following reorganization, \$3,300 had been collected, the greater portion of which was necessarily expended in repairs and improvements.

the Gethysburg dead by Dr. R. B. Weaver, of Philadelphia. The association obtained from the Legislature a grant of \$3,000 towards the liquidation of this debt. This amount was transferred to Dr. Weaver with the fund which had been invested for income, and which it had been feared was lost.

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was lost.

In response to an appeal from the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument Association, for assistance in completing their work, the association organized and carried on a bazaar in 1893, the proceeds of which about \$3,000, were to be used in equal

tion goes forward from year to year as the objects of the association are being

realized.

THE OFFICERS.

The present officers of the association are: President, Mrs. Joseph Bryan; Vice-Presidents, Mrs. J. Taylor Ellisson, Mrs. William Wirt Henry, and Miss Minnie Baughman; Honorary Vice-Presidents, Mrs. William B. Isaacs and Mrs. John Purcell; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. E. C. Minor; Recording Secretary, Miss Mary Crenshaw; Treasurer, Mrs. Maxwell T. Clarke.

MAJOR GINTER RESIGNS.

No Longer a Director of the American To-

Major Lewis Ginter has announced his resignation as a member of the Roard of Directors of the American Tobacco Company. When seen at his residence Major Ginter stated that his advanced age and late poor health had induced him to retire from the directorate of the Company and the consequent active har. Company and the consequent active par-ticipation in the details of the Company's

He has not given up his stock nor any interest whatever in the company, but finds he can not give the close attention to the details of the company's business, that he should give as a director, and

tion of Mr. Butler, who was spoken of as the present secretary of the company,

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of Allen and Ginter, now the Allen and Ginter branch of the American Tobacco Company, was named John F. Allen, and is well remembered

not only for remarkable business qualifications, but for a charming socia-ble and kindly spirit of manner, that en-deared him to all who knew him.

A Tribute to the Blues.

The Atlanta Journal in an article en-titled "The South's Part in the Grant Parade," has the following to say in re-

gard to the part which the Richmond Light Infantry Elues took on last Tues-day in the parade in New York: "It was left indeed for a southern mili-tary company to make the most splendid show on the occasion, and the New York

apers take delight in awarding the hon-

And old Virginia, the home of Lee and the scene of the greatest conflicts, was the State to send this company. It was well that the Richmord Blues with their

white pames erect on their helmets and stream of up into the air, their horses moving in admirably controlled lines, should receive such a plaudit. "It was their band that first played the

"It was their hand that first played the air so dear to every Southern heart, and the favor with which it was received by the men of both armies, must be gratify-ing to all lovers of peace."

Resolutions by Red Men.

Resolution of respect adopted by Gray Eagle Tribe, No. 93. I, O. R. M., upon the death of Charles H. Epps:
Whereas, it has pleased the Great Spirit to lay the hand of affliction upon our Tribe in removing from our midst and association, Brother Charles H. Epps. one of our esteemed chiefs; and whereas, we feel a deep sympathy for the bereaved family upon whom this dispensation

we feel a deep sympathy for the bereaved family upon whom this dispensation falls and desiring to express to them that sympathy and cherish the memory of our departed chief, therefore be it—Resolved, I. That in his death this Tribe has lost a valuable and trustworthy chief, the community an upright chitzen, our city a faithful officer, the family a loving husband and a devoted father.

Resolved, 2. That a copy of these res-

father.
Resolved, 2. That a copy of these resolutions testifying the respect and affection of this Tribe be spread upon the minutes of this Tribe, and a copy of them be forwarded to the family of our deceased chief and that they be published

Committee.

in the daily papers.

ED. E. KUHN,
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talion will celebrate the 194th anniversary of Virginia's crack company, the CURES Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Weak Stomach, Heart-Burn, Loss of Appetite, Richmond Light Infantry Blues. Major B. W. Richardson, the president of the Blues Association, several weeks ago Rising of Food, Water Blues Association, several weeks as appointed a committee to make the necessary arrangements for a proper celebration. Nothing definite has as yet been agreed upon by the committee, the recent trip to New York where the battailion gathered new laurels, having taken up the attention of every member of the organization. Brash, Bitter Taste, Biliousness, Pains Constipation, Jaundice, Irritability, Despondercy, Low Spirits, Vertigo and Its prompt action in acute attacks of In-digestion, known by a sense of dead weight on the chest, is marvelous; a sin-gle dose gives relief. No, 10 is for sale at every drug store

monies at Oakwood cemetery on that evening and an informal gathering will probably take place after the return of

THE BLUES OF OLD.

Richmond looks back with pride upon the past career of the Blues. Men whose names have been synonymons with chivality, honor and heroism, have led the old company into the thick of the fray, and brave sons of the Old Dominion have marched to the very brink of the cannon under the victorious flag. Her members have suffered hardships, defeat and death, but humiliation or discreme, never. death, but humiliation or disgrace, never. The future of the Blues, too, is as bright as their past is meniorable. Though the storm clouds of several years have swept over their forces and struck down in the midst of brilliant military



MAJ. B. W. RICHARDSON.

honor to their country and an inspira-tion to their comrades, the Blues still stand as peer among military organiza-tions in this country as well, as else-where; chivalrous in time of peace, un-swerving in the duties of true soldiers,

swerving in the duties of true soldiers, and ever willing and ready to step upon the scene of turmoil and strife for the protection of the State.

THEIR HISTORY.
On public and festive occasions the Blues have always attracted general attention. They are an excellently drilled body, and skilled in all the movements of military tactics. There is a certain uniformity of appearance and unity of action about the Blues which few, if any other military organization have. On other military organization have. On occasions of public festivity the handsome uniforms, picturesque hats and general bearing of the men never fail to be the subject of much comment, and no wonder that Richmond should be no wonder that Richmond should be proud of the Blues, with their glorious past, their honorable presence and their encouraging future. They are a fine body of men and they number their friends by the thousand, those handsome chivalrous soldierly fellows, whose names and achievements have been so closely identified with the brilliant military reidentified with the brilliant military re

identified with the orifinate initiary to cord of the Army of Northern Virginia.

The Richmond Light Infantry Blues is one of the oldest volunteer organizations (which has been in continuous service) in the United States. Like the moss-covered bucket, revered for its age, it is now cherished for its antiquity, and as the young, green moss grows healthy upon the old bucket, so the youth of this city, who have taken the places of the ancient of other days, put forth their vigorous limbs renewing the life of the old stock and keeping alive the spirit of former times.

and smaller, and within a comparatively short time the very last one of them will be laid at rest. For the first time, this year the familiar features of the lamented Captain Charles H. Epps will be missed, who was always one of the Blues' warmest friends.

W. Jarvis.
Colonel Charles Purcell Bigger, whom
everybody knows only to like, was born
in the city of Richmond, on the leth day
of May, 1840, in the old homestead of



MAJ. SOL. CUTCHINS. MAJ Soil. Collections.

Chief Justice Marshall. A rather peculiar coincidence is that Colonel Bigger was born on the anniversary of the Blues, and was christened in the famous punch-bowl which was owned by the company, and was afterwards destroyed by fire in the old Spotswood Hotel, which stood on the corner of Eighth and Main streets. At the bring of the first gun at Fort Sumter, Colonel Bigger was officially connected with a department streets. At the firing of the first gun at Fort Sumter. Colonel Bigger was officially connected with a department of the United States Government, but immediately resigned, and enlisted in the war as first sergeant of the Richmond Light Infantry Biues. He continued in the service of his native States and that of the Confederate States until 1846, when he was severely wounded in front of Petersburg, while in command of the Blues, to which position he was promoted by order of General Henry A. Wise, Confederate States Army. Colonel Bigger is now, and has been for a number of years, commandant of the Lee Camp Soldiers' Home.

EZEKIEL J. LEVY.

Captain Ezekiel J. Levy was born in the city of Richmond on April 13, 1833, His parents were Jacob A. Levy and Martha Levy. His father Parasanted

at one time Jefferson Ward in the Com-mon Council. His grandfather, Abram Levy, came to Richmond, in 1815, and the family has been identified with the in-terests of the city ever since. The noble generosity and kindness of "Old Abraham" Levy was the theme in many a home of the generation just passed away.

away.
Ezekiel J. Levy became a member of the Blues in 1856, and from the ranks was regularly promoted from fifth corporal up. The beginning of the war between the States found him fourth sergeant. The Blues turned out with full ranks, on what is known in Richmond as "Pawnee Sunday," and a few days after were sent to Fredericksburg and thence to Aquia Creek and vicinity on the Potomac river. While at Mari-



boro Point, two of the lieutenants having resigned, an election was held to fill the vacancies, thus occasioned, Messrs, Carter, Bigger, and Sanxby were elected lieutenants, and E. J. Levy was made first sergeant.

Captain Levy holds at present a responsible position with the money-order

leutenants, and E. J. Levy was hance first sergeant.
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GEORGE W. JARVIS.
Captain George W. Jarvis, who received his commission as captain of the Blues from General Wise on the day of the surrender at Apportantex, still takes an earnest interest in the organization. He is the senior member of the firm of Jarvis & Glinn, well known contractors and builders in this city. He has a most interesting collection of autograph papers concerning his career in the Confederacy from his final promotion—a corporaley—two months later and subsequently filled in succession nearly every office in the company and was in service constantly from the John Brown raid until the close of the war. He was wounded and captured at Roanoke Island, exchanged six months later and returned to his command.

After much hard service at Charleston and other Southern polats, he was ordered to Petersburg where he was wounded in the arm at the explosion of the Crater by a piece of shell. In March, 1855, when the news of the retreat from Richmond became known, Captain Jarvis was sick in a hospital in this city, and, though suffering from rheumatism he joined his command near Amelia courthouse, and surrendered with a remnant of his company for some time, he had not received his commission on account of the irregularity of affairs at the close of the contest, and General Wise, on the last day of the war recalling the gallantry which gave him the promotion, ordered his commission to account of the irregularity of affairs at the close of the contest, and General Wise, on the last day of the war recalling the gallantry which gave him the promotion, ordered his commission to a sheet of inferior Confederate writing paper, Captain Jarvis still holds.

APPLYING FOR REORGANIZATION. In connection with Colonel Tom August and others, Captain Jarvis petitioned Governor Plerpoon for permission to re-In connection with colonel Tom August and others, Captain Jarvis petitiones Governor Pierpont for permission to reorganize the Blues as a military company. Rather strange to say, Governor Fierpont gave the permission and commissioned the officers on May 18 1895. Captain Jarvis still has his commission as second lieutenant, signed by this notorious reconstruction Governor.



CAPT. CLARENCE WYATT.

regularly organize. Later, when the Southern troops were permitted to be formed, the Blues again organized and Captain Jarvis was made first lieutenant. He was subsequently promoted to the captaincy. When he resigned he was succeeded by Captain John S. Wise. When the Blues Association was formed he was made one of the corporators.

Captain John S. Wise was succeeded by Captain Andrew Fizzini, Jr., and the latter by Captain Sol Cutchins, who remained at the head of the famous company until the Blues fattation was formed in 1891, when he was elected major and took charge of the battation. The officers of the battation was recently re-elected

Ben. W. Richardson; lonel John Bell Bigger; Frank M. Woon, secare the commissioned

Major-Sol Cutchins. Adjutant-Captain Frank M. Woon. Surgeon-Captain Charles V. Carring-

Assistant Surgeon-Lieutenant Clifton M. Miller. I. Miller. Quartermaster-Lieutenant Charles A.

Rose.
Commissary-Lieutenant Frank R, Stal.
Company A-Captain, Clarence Wyalt;
First lieutenant, L. L. Chcatwood; Second
Lieutenant, W. P. Klein.
Company B-Captain, J. Clements Shafer; First Lieutenant, George B, Pegram;
Second Lieutenant, W. S. P. Mayo.

School-Teacher in Trouble,

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NEW YORK, May 1.—Frederick Cromberger, 14 years of age of Newtown, L.

I. died to-day and the authorities are seeking to ascertain whether or not his death was due to the act of his school teacher, Miss Jennie E. Schouler.

The boy was taken ill three weeks ago, and in his delirium said that Miss Schouler had struck him on the head with a ruler. There were no evidences of such a blow having been struck; it was denied by Miss Schouler, and none of young Cromborger's fellow pupils has been found who saw the teacher strikthe boy. Miss Schouler is under bonds pending investigation by the coroaer.

Alleged Embezzier,

Alleged Embezzier, Alleged Embezzler,
TOPEKA, KAN, May 1.—A. D. Hubhard, the State President of the A. P.
A. is under arrest here, charged with
embezzlement. He is accused of having
embezzled about \$10,000 while acting as
receiver in the Snow-Hamilton printing
litigation. The referee appointed by the
court to investigate Hubbard's accounts
as receiver swore out a warrant.

Wolcott on a Still Hunt,

Washington, May 1.—Senator Wolcott, of Colorado, is making arrangements to leave for Europe a week from next Monday. He desires to have the tariff bill reported from the Finance Committee before he leaves and expects that this will be done. Senator Wolcott goes as one of the special commissioners of the United States to bring about an international agreement for bimetallism.

WASHINGTON, May 1—The President to-day ordered suspension for four days of the mandate sentencing Joseph Dunlop, proprietor of the Chicago Dispatch, to two years in the penitentiary for sending obscene matter through the malis.

Mr. Dunlop made a personal appeal to the President for this length of time in which to arrange his business affairs before going to serve his term in Joliat.

ANNUAL MAY FESTIVAL APPROACHING MUSICAL EVENT OF

THIS SEASON.

Singers of the Highest Rank Are to Aid the Wednesday Club-The Famous Boston Festival Orchestra Will Play.

now centred in the annual May Festival of the Wednesday Club, which is to be

possible and successful.

now centred in the annual May Festival of the Wednesday Club, which is to be held at the Academy of Music on Thursday and Friday of this week. The occasion this year will not only be a perfect article success but will eclipse in point of elaborate detail and outlay of expense, any Festival ever yet held by the Wednesday Club.

The Boston Festival Orchestra which is now on its ninth annual tour and which will sustain the orchestral part of the Festival will alone have forty-five artists. This organization is too well-known in the musical world to need any words of praise. In this connection, however, it can be said that the famous scorario Calve was greatly impressed by the work of the Boston Festival Orchestra, which recently supported her.

THE FESTIVAL ORCHESTRA.
The Northampton Daily Heraid has this to say of the orchestra:

"Music's perfected expression were the exquisite harmonies with which the Boston Festival Orchestra filled the Academy of Music last evening. "Finest orchestral music ever heard in this city," is the general comment, and those who did not hear it have missed an opportunity that will not soon be duplicated in this city. Although the programme was intensely classical—its second division being devoted entirely to illustration of Wasner's finest and most artistic productions—so beautifully perfect was the interpretation that the simplicity of perfection was wonderfully demonstrated, alike to culti-



J. H. MCKINLEY, TENOR.

consummate skill could be won
by the body of musical experts than is the fact that
they could present such a programme to
a miscellaneous audience with such universally satisfactory result."

MR. M. KINLEY, THE TENOR.
Of the nine soloists who will appear,
the chief interest will centre in Mr. J. H.
McKinley, the tenor.

Pa., in commenting on Mr. McKin-recent appearance in that city

"Mr. McKinley, by means of his fault-less tenor, has found prominence in the musical world attained by few others. musical world attained by few others. His pleasing appearance combined with his exceptional vocal powers make him the hero of the hour. His style is refined and his phresing perfect. The ringing clear timbre of Mr. McKinley's voice was amply illustrated in the numbers assigned him on the programme. His intonation is pure, and his enunciation is a delightful feature of his singing. The reception necorded him could not be otherwise than gratifying, and his return in May to sing the tenor role in The Messiah with the Oratorio Society is already a pleasant contemplain The Messiah with the Oratorio Society is already a pleasant contemplation to all who heard him on Saturday night. In his solo work Mr. McKinley made only such use of his remarkable tenor voice as an artist such as he could make. He has a fine conception of the climax and supreme moment and made his phrasing at times most thrilling. All of those cannot be too highly praised. A more brilliant display of vocal art of this style has nover been heard in Williamsport."

On to-merrow night Mr. Meyn will sing



EMIL MALLENHAUER. EMIL MALLENHAUER.
(Conductor of the Orchestra.)
at the People's Concert in Carnegie Hall.
New York, when he will render that
glorious baritone air "Dio Possente" from
Gounod's Faust, and that most beautifull of all lyrics. "The Heart Bowed
Down," from Balfe's "Bohemian Girl,"
The Programme.

The Boston Festival Orchestra, with forty-two artists, will furnish the orchestral work. Nine eminent soloists will appear. They are:
Mrs. Frances Dunton Wood and Miss Rose Stewart songanges.

Heinrich Meyn, bass. Programme: Overture, "Oberon" (Weber), Festival

Orchestra.
Chorus, "Hail Bright Abode" (Tannhauser), (Wagner), Festival Chorus and Orchestra.
Aria, "Lend Me Your Aid" (Gounod),

Romanza, "Evening Star" (Tann-hauser), (Wagner), Mr. Meyn. Intermission. Aria, "Ah, Patria Mia" (Aida), (Verdi), Mrs. Wood. (Oboe Obligato, by Mr. Ar-thur Trepte.

A mother who is in good physical condition transmits to her children the blessings of a good constitution.

The child fairly drinks in health from its mother's robust constitution before birth, and from a healthy Is not that an incentive to prepare for a healthy Do you know the meaning of what is popularly called those "longings," or cravings, which beset so many women during pregnancy?

There is something lacking in the mother's blood. Nature cries out and will be satisfied at all hazards. One woman wants sour things, another wants sweets, another The real need all the time is to enrich the blood so as to supplynourishment for another life, and to build up the entire generative system, so that the birth may be If expectant mothers would fortify themselves with Lydia E. Pink-

for twenty years has sustained thousands of women in this condition, there would be fewer disappointments

at birth, and they would not experience those annoying "longings In the following letter to Mrs. Pinkham, Mrs. Whitney demonstrates the

Motherhood.

mother's milk after.

wants salt things, and so on.

ham's Vegetable Compound, which

maternity?

power of the Compound in such cases. She says: "From the time I was sixteen years old till I was twenty-three, I was troubled with weakness of the kidneys and terrible pains when my monthly periods came on. I made up my mind to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and was soon relieved. After I was married, the doctor said I

would never be able to go my full time and have a living child, as I was constitutionally weak. I had lost a baby at seven months and a half. The next time I commenced at once and continued to take your Compound through the period of pregnancy, and I said then, if I went my full time and the baby lived to be three months old, I should send a letter to you. My baby is now seven months old and is as healthy and hearty as one could wish. "I am so thankful that I used your medicine, for it gave me the robust

health to transmit to my child. I cannot express my gratitude to you: I never expected such a blessing. Praise God for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and may others who are suffering do as I did and find relief, and may many homes be brightened as mine has been."-Mrs. L. Z. WHITNEY, 5 George St., E. Somerville, Mass.

Symphonic poem, 'Les Preludes' (Lizst), Festival Orchestra.
Quartette, from "Rigoletto" (Verdi),
Mrs. Wood, Miss Spencer, Mr. McKiniey, and Mr. Meyn. Choral Ode, "The Sun Worshippers"

and Mr. Meyli.
Choral Ode, "The Sun Worshippers"
(Goring Thomas), Mrs. Wood, Mr. McKinley, Festival Chorus and Orchestra.
FRIDAY AFTERNOON.
Boston Festival Orchestra, Mr. Emil
Mollenhauer, conductor.
Soloists—Miss Jennie Mae Spencer, contralto; Miss Minnie Little, planiste; Mr.
Charles Moerenhout, violinist,
Programme:
Overture, "Le Carnaval Romain" (Berlioz), Festival Orchestra.
Violin Conerto, Op. 22, (Weinlakski),
Mr. Moerenhout and Festival Orchestra.
Aria, "Che Furo," (Orpheus), (Gluck),
Miss Spencer. Miss Spencer.
Minuet by request, (F. C. Hahr), Festival Orchestra.
Plano Comerto, "Symphonic National Hollandaise," Miss Little and Festival

Orchestra. Scene, "La mort de Jeanne Arc," (Benberg), Miss Spencer. Overture, "Die Meistersinger" (Wagner), Festival Orchestra. FRIDAY EVENING.

Festival Chorus, Mr. Arthur Scrivenor, director: Boston Festival Orchestra, Mr. Mollenhauer, conductor.

Mollenhauer, conductor.
Soloists-Miss Rose Stewart, soprano;
Mrs. Katherine Bloodgood, contraito; Mr.
J. H. McKinley, tenor; Mr. Heinrich Mrs. Kall.
J. H. McKinley, tenor,
Meyn, bass.
Selections from "St. Paul" (Mendelssohn), Miss Stewart, Mrs. Bloodgood, Mr. McKinley, Mr. Meyn, Testival Chorus and Chorustra.

Overture, "1812," (Tschalkowski), Festi-

val Orchestra.
Aria from "Jean de Paris," Boildieu),
Mr. Meyn.
Andante from Quartette in B flat (Tschaikowski), Festival String Orches-Aria from 'Il Barbiere," (Rossini), Misa

Aria from 'Il Barbos.

Stewart.
Choruses a Capella, (a), "Oh M'y Luve is Like a Red, Red Rose;" (b), "The Sands o'Dee" (G. A. Macfarren), the Wednesday Club, (by request),
Aria from "Samson and Delllah," (Saint-Saens), Mrs. Bloodgood.
Prize song from "Die Meistersinger"

Prize song from "Die (Wagner), Mr. McKinley.

BRISTOL'S SURPRISE MARRIAGES A Widow's Passion for a Youth Stronger

Than His Parents' Will, BRISTOL, TENN., May L.—Special.— Parson Burroughs' Gretna Green was the scene of a romantic marriage on Wed-nesday night. M. S. Hawthorne, aged nineteen, and Mrs. Clemic Litton, a hand-

some widow, aged thirty-nee, were contracting parties, and came by pri conveyance from Wyndale. The groom's parents, who reside at Abingdon, were opposed to the match, and had made

were opposed to the match, and had every arrangement to send the boy to Texas to forget his widow lover.

He had consented to go, but would not leave without teiling his lover good-lye. He went to her home and stated his purpose, but this was not sweet-sounding music to her ears, and she set about to induce the lad to stay. He acquiesced in her wish, and so the night drive was made to the matrimonial Mecca.

made to the matrimonial Mecca.

The bride is said to be in excellent circumstances, being in possession of a fine farm, beautiful home and other va uable property, all of which the youthful groom is now managing to his own liking A surprise marriage was celebrated at the home of Rev. J. G. McJerrin, at a late hour one night this week. Harry B. Dunn, bookkeeper for the Buenn Vista Plaster Company, of Saltville, came to Bristol and stole Miss May Gookin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gookin, from her parents. The bride is an accomplished young

BRISTOL IN MAY, 1898. Planning for the Baptist General Associa-

BRISTOL, TENN., May 1.—Special.— The effort of Dr. M. E. Broaddus and others to have the Southern Baptist Association hold its annual meeting here in May, 1898, bids fair to be successful The president and secretary of the association and many other prominent Baptists have written that they are heartly in favor of Bristol, and will do all in their power to have the association come

The matter will be decided at the association's meeting at Wilmington, N. C., this month. The Tenneva and Twin City Lodges, L.

The Tenneva and Twin City Lodges, I. O. O. F., celebrated the seventy eighth anniversary of Odd-Fellowship in the United States in fitting style. Fifteen lodges were represented on this occasion. The Harmeling Operatiouse was crowded with a representative audience when Dr. M. E. Broaddus made the address of the occasion.

Anarchists Condemned,

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BARCELONA. May I.—Twenty-six anarchists, in addition to those already sentenced, have been condemned to death for complicity in the bomb outrage of function, last, at the feast of Corpus (1995), when a dynamite bomb was thrown the a procession on its way to the children of the condemned o

NORTH CAROLINA NEWS.

OF MAINTAINING CONVICTS.

The Question of Titles to Lands Sold for Mills. The Woman's Exchange.

RALEIGH, N. C., May 1.-Speciallovernor Russell was yesterday speakng about the maintenance of the conriets and their earning capacity. He emarked that the real trouble was in the penitentiary proper. While the convicts on the farms earn, those in the penitentiary do not. They are nearly all life-term prisoners, old or infirm The manufacture of jail cells, shoes and plug tobaceo has at various times been tried and there was always failure.

confidence in Democratic success.

Fine rains which appear to be gene-ral, fell last night and to-day, at exactly the right time for all crops. The drought

The secretary of the State Press Asso-Batchwell that it would hold its annual convention at Morehead City, June 9-10. About one hundred members will attend and many of them will be accompanied by some lady relative.

TAX TITLES.

There is a good deal of the state of the state

There is a good deal of talk at the movement about the titles to land sold for taxes. Under the act of 1895, title is now absolute in the buyer of land so sold. There was an effort to alter this at the last legislative session, but the State Treasurer declared that if a change were made the whole fabric of the collection of real estate taxes would lat to the ground. Representative Lusk, who it is said, lost several thousand dollars by tax titles, was also deeply interested. It is claimed that syndicates are buying up such lands. Attorneys certainly repreup such lands. Attorneys certainly represented the State Treasurer in the opposition to any change of the law. Under the old system, under which such titles were worthless, it is claimed that the State was cheated out of great sums.

Much new machinery is being put in the Pilot Cotton Mills here, and the weaving room is to be enlarged.

The Secretary of State reports one hundred incompanies as licensed up

dred insurance companies as licensed up It is stated that Governor and Mrs

NEW WOMAN'S EXCHANGE. A "Woman's Exchange" was opened here to-day. It is for the sale of articles made by women, and makes a good be-

Norfolk man, who was with them, said that they were not from Norfolk but were all, save himself, from Portsmouth, and that he was very sorry he was from Norfolk. At this the audience roared with laughter.
For some reason very little talk about the "dispensaries" is now heard. The matter appears to have dropped out of

sight. MORMON ELDIES PULL GUNS,

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They Shoot Into a Cowil and Wound a Passer-by-A New Bailroad.

CRANBERRY, N. C., May 1.—Special.—Two Mormen elders attempted to preach at Elk Park, two miles from here. Thursday night, when they were attacked by a crowd with "back number eggs." The elders got out their guns and fired several shots at the crowd. No one was injured except a young man named Brinkley, who was passing on his way from church. He was slightly wounded by a stray shot, and Mr. W. B. Brown, a prominent merchant, was struck by a stone.

The elders have been holding meetings The elders have been norms meeting throughout the county, and have not met with any resistance before. They said they would preach again to-night. The people at the town were determined they should not. The elders did not return last night and have not been heard from

Work is progression.

Linville River railread.

The contractors say they will nave the thirteen miles between here and Paola completed by July 1st.

She late Mr. Allen, of the original firm

Hollywood Memorial Association,

The annual report of the President of the Association will be submitted on this occasion, and it is expected that a large

audience will be present.

An invitation has been extended to Richmond Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, to attend the meeting.

An invitation has also been received by the Hollywood Memorial Association to attend the memorial exercises of the Colleged Memorial exercises of the

HISTORY OF THE ASSOCIATION. The Hollywood Memorial Association.
The Hollywood Memorial Association was called into existence on May 3, 1800, little more than a year having clapsed since the close of the great civil struggle. The Association was the outcome of the feeling on the part of Virginia's noble women, who could not entertain for a moment the thought that the sacred remains of Southern heroes should be neglected or forgotten. The Oakbe neglected or forgotten. The Oak-wood Memorial Association sprang into

the two organizations should be com-bined into one, but it was decided by the managers that the common object could be better accomplished under the independent associations.

To Mrs. Charles G. Barney, Rev. Dr. Charles Minnigerode, and Captain F. M. Dawson, a young Englishman, who had served in the Confederate army, is due served in the Confederate army, is due the honor of organizing the Association. lect funds to be applied in enclosing, ar-ranging, re-turing, and otherwise plac-ing in order the graves of Confederate

wood."

The first memorial Day was observed on the 31st of May, 1856, by the association, and its exercises were participated in by thousands of Richmond's citizens, as has been the custom every year since. Eesides keeping the graves of the Confederate soldiers in Hollywood in order the Confederate Monument in the cemetery was erected at a cost of \$15,379, the remains of 3,000 Confederate soldiers, brought from Gettysburg and others from Arlington and other places, and re-in-

Upon the reorganization of the body in

annual subscriptions was inadequate to keep the large grounds in order, re-mark ths graves, and do the other necessary work. Appeals were sent out for annual

MRS, BRYAN, PRESIDENT. MRS. BRYAN, PRESIDENT.
In 1890 the president of the association removed from Richmond, and her place was filled by Mrs. Joseph Bryan, who ever since has been indefattgable in herefforts in behalf of the noble organization. At her instance, to the work already undertaken, was added the securing of the house used as the Executive Mansion of the Confederacy for a Confederate museum. Owing to the requirements of the city charter this led to the foundation of a society under the title of "The Confederate Memorial Literary Society." At this period of quickened activity and federate Memorial Literary Society. At this period of quickened activity and prosperity the association was temporarily dismayed by a claim against it for a large amount, on account of exhuming the Gettysburg dead by Dr. R. B. Weaver,

Iron Stone China Plates about \$3,000, were to be used in equal parts for the monument to the private seddler and sailor, and for the renovation of the building for the museum.

In 1895 there were 126 names on the membership list of the association. Whis number has steadily increased since that time, and the noble work of the organiza-
 Glass Stand Lamp
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 Hall Lamp, Ruby Globe
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 Handsome Table Lamp
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 Lamp Wicks, per dozen
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bacco Company.

2,500 FEET ELEVATION. hence his resignation.

The report that the vacancy occurring on the Board of Directors by Major Ginter's resignation will be filled by the elec-

invalids made perfectly comfortable; wenderful results to sufferers from gout, rheumatism, and nervous troubles.

Amusements and sports: Riding and driving parties daily, new bicycle track, golf grounds, lawn tennis, pool and billards, fishing and bunting. For winter rates and accommodations apply to FRED. STERRY, Manager, da2-su-maker. Mr. Butler was one of the original directors of the American Tobacco Company, and was the secretary of the company, but has been its vice-president for some

THE BLUES' BATTALION. THE 104TH ANNIVERSARY OF THAT permits the

COMMAND. It Will Take Place on May 10th -- The Blues

On Monday, May 10th, the Blues Bat-

up the attention of every member of the organization.

In view of the fact that the members of the battalion, who went to New York, have been away from their places of business for several days, it is not likely that an entire day will be given to the coming celebration. The Blues have accepted an invitation to attend the cere-

the battalion to the armory.

Last year the anniversary fell on Sunday and for that reason the day was celebrated by the battalion's attendance at the evening services at St. Paul's church, where Rev. Dr. Hartley Carmichael, preached an appropriate sermon.

THE BLUES OF OLD.

Eichwand looks back with pride upon



(The President of the Blues Association.)

From year to year, the number of those who fought in the ranks of the Blues during the late war grows smaller

Among the remaining survivors, how-ever, is a noble trio, consisting of three war captains of the Blues-Charles Pur-cell Bigger, Ezekiel J. Levy, and George

MR. MEYN, THE BARITONE.



Mrs. Frances Dunton Wood and Silss
Rose Stewart, sopranos.

Mrs. Katherine Bloodgood and Miss
Jennie Mae Spencer, contraitos.

Mr. J. H. McKinley, tenor.

Mr. Heinrich Meyn, baritone.

Miss Minnie Little, pianiste.

Mr. Charles Moerenhout, violinist.

Mr. Van Vechten Rogers, harpist.

The three programmes are very elaborate, and are as follows:

THURSDAY EVENING.

Festival Chorus, Mr. Arthur Scrivenor,

Festival Chorus, Mr. Arthur Scrivenor, director; Boston Festival Orchestra, Mr. Emil Mollenhauer, conductor.
Soloists-Mrs. Frances Dunton Wood, soprano; Miss Jennie Mae Spencer, contraito; Mr. J. H. McKinley, tenor; Mr. Heinrich Menn bass.

Orchestra.

Aria, "Lend Me Your And
Mr. McKiniey.
Scene and air from "Donna Caritea"
(Mercadante), Miss Spencer.
(a). Air for G string (Bach-Wilhelmf):
(b). Perpetual Motion (Novacek). Played
by all the first violins.
Romanza, "Evening Star" (TannRomanza, "Evening Star".

GOT RUSSELL TALKS ABOUT COST

Taxes-New Machinery for Cotton

Brick-making is the only industry which has been maintained. The city election here next week promises to be quiet. There is perfect

was beginning to be feit.
Firal DULLENT ENROLLMENT CASE.
The Supreme Court has let another
term pass vithout deciding the case of
S. P. Satterfield, the principal clerk of the
lower House of the Legislature of 18%,
who was convicted of fraud in the enrolment of the notorious "assignment act."
One of the justices soid last week he
felt sure this case would be disposed of.
The secretary of the State Press Association to-day gave notice to Dr. G. W.

ginning.
One of the queer things in this State One of the queer things in this State is the extreme jealousy which some places feel toward Raieigh. A lecturer, who was making a tour of the State is ald of a menument here to Senator Vance, said he was told people did not care about the matter if the monument was to be at Raieigh. But this jealousy cannot be greater than that between Norfolk and Portsmouth. When the Portsmouth amatteurs were here Wednesday night a Norfolk man who was with them, said.

Work is progressing very well on the

HESTER, May 1.-W. T. Down-Bredin by six yards to-day ter-intle run. Time. O 5-8 sec-lify | quarter-mile runners brought out eigh-teen thousand spectators.